



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Board of Public Utilities
Two Gateway Center
Newark, New Jersey 07102
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Customer Assistance

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF)
NEW JERSEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY)
TO RELOCATE THE ASBURY PARK)
CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER FROM)
601 BANGS AVENUE TO 658 COOKMAN)
AVENUE, ASBURY PARK, NEW JERSEY)
PURSUANT TO N.J.A.C. 14:3-5.1(c))

ORDER APPROVING
PETITION

BPU DOCKET NO. GM06040277

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD:

On April 20, 2006, New Jersey Natural Gas (NJNG) or (Petitioner) filed a petition with the Board of Public Utilities (Board) pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:3-5.1(c) to relocate its Asbury Park customer service center from 601Bangs Avenue to 658 Cookman Avenue in Asbury Park, New Jersey.

According to NJNG, the proposed location will be located in a newly renovated office building which offers more up-to-date office space and work areas, is readily accessible to public transportation and provides improved parking which is available on the adjacent street and in a metered lot within 125 feet of the entrance. The services available to customers and hours of operation will be identical to those presently offered at the Bangs Avenue location, and include applications for service, bill payment activities, submission of concerns and inquiries about service and meetings with customer service representatives. The personnel, 3 employees and 1 supervisor will continue to maintain the office at the new location, tentatively scheduled to open on October 1, 2006.

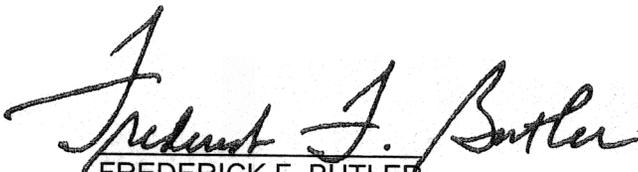
NJNG has completed the notification procedures required by N.J.A.C. 14:3-5.1(c). The Board HEREBY FINDS that NJNG has complied with the requirements of N.J.A.C. 14:3-5.1(c) regarding relocation of a customer service center. Therefore, the Board APPROVES the relocation of NJNG's Asbury Park Customer Service Center from its location

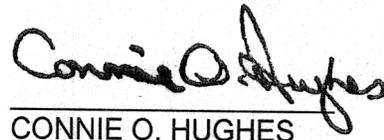
at 601 Bangs Avenue, Asbury Park, to 658 Cookman Avenue, Asbury Park, New Jersey. The Board ORDERS NJNG to complete the relocation such that the new Customer Service Center is open for business by October 15, 2006.

DATED: 8/18/06

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
BY:


JEANNE M. FOX
PRESIDENT

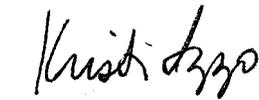

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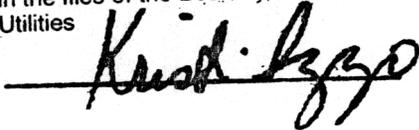
ATTEST:


KRISTI IZZO
SECRETARY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within
document is a true copy of the original
in the files of the Board of Public
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I/M/O Petition of New Jersey Natural Gas Company
To Relocate the Asbury Park Customer Service Center from 601 Bangs Avenue
To 658 Cookman Avenue, Asbury Park, New Jersey, Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:3-5.1(c)

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